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A. TEXT BOOKS

	Title	Author/Publisher/Distributor
1.	Approved Practices in Swine Production	E.M. Juergenson & K. Baker, 1979, 432 pp. Miller Publishing Co., P.O. Box 67, Minneapolis, Minn. 55440
2.	Aspects of Swine Ecology	David Hollier K.G. Johnson Livestock Equipment Ltd., P.O. Box 209, St. Jacob's, Ontario N0B 2N0 (519) 664-2277

3.	Controlled Breeding in Farm Animals	I. Gordon, 1983. Pergamon Press Ltd., Suite 104, 150 Consumers Rd., Willowdale, Ontario M2J 1P9 ISBN 0-08-024410-6 Hard Cover - ISBN 0-08-024409-2 Soft Flexicover -
4.	Control of Pig Reproduction	D.J.A. Cole and G.R. Foxcroft, 1982 Butterworth Scientific, London ISBN 0-408-10768-5
5.	Diseases of Swine	A.D. Leman et al. 5th edition, 1981. 832 pp. Source: Iowa State University Press, Ames, Iowa 50010
6.	Early Weaning of Pigs	G. Brent et al. 1977. 134 pp. Farming Press Ltd., Wharfedale Road, Ipswich IP1 4LG, UK
7.	Feeds and Nutrition	M.E. Ensminger Interstate Publishers, Danville, Ill.
8.	Hog Information, Please	Vol. IV. National Hog Farmer. 1984 1999 Shepard Road, St. Paul, Minn. 55116
9.	Improving Swine Productivity	Farming for the Future Dr. F.X. Aherne 1985, University of Alberta Edmonton, Alberta
10.	Intensive Pig Production Environmental Management and Design	Seaton Baxter, 1984. Granada Technical Books 8 Grafton St. London, Ontario W1X 3LA
11.	The Merck Veterinary Manual, 6th Edition	Merck & Co. Inc., Publications P.O. Box 2000 Rahway, New Jersey 07065
12.	MLC Pig Improvement Scheme Yearbook (annual)	Meat & Livestock Commission Queensway House, Bletchley Milton Keynes, MK2 2EF
13.	The Nutrient Requirements of Pigs	1981. 307 pp. Commonwealth Agricultural Bureaux, Farnham Royal Slough, SLZ 3BN England
14.	Nutrient Requirements of Swine	8th Edition, 1979. Office of Publications, National Academy of Science, 210 Constitution Avenue N.W., Washington, D.C. 20418
15.	Pig Diseases	Third Edition. D.J. Taylor. 1983 31, North Birbiston Road, Lennontown, Glasgow G6S 7LZ
16.	Pig Farmers Veterinary Book	Farming Press Ltd. Wharfedale Road Ipswich IP1 4LG, U.K.
17.	Pig Housing	David Sainsbury. 5th Edition. 1978. 222 pp. Farming Press Ltd. Wharfedale Road, Ipswich IP1 4LG, U.K.
18.	Pigman's Handbook	Gerry Brent, Diamond Farm Book Publishers, R.R. #3, Brighton, Ont. K0K 1H0 (613) 475-1771
19.	Pig Production	C.T. Whittemore. 1980. 145 pp. Longman Group Ltd., London.

20.	Practical Pig Nutrition	C.T. Whittemore & F.W.H. Elsley. 1976. 190 pp. Farming Press Ltd. Wharfedale Road, Ipswich, Suffolk, England IP1 4LG
21.	Practical Pig Production	3rd Edition. Rev. 1981. 225 pp. Farming Press Ltd. Wharefdale Road Ipswich IP1 4LG, U.K.
22.	Recent Developments in Pig Nutrition	D.J.A. Cole and W. Haresign 1984 Butterworth & Co. Publisher 2265 Midland Avenue Seaborough, Ontario M1P 4S1 ISBNO-407-00339-8
23.	Reproduction in the Pig	P. Hughes, M. Varley 1980, 241 pp. Butterworth & Co. Publisher 2265 Midland Avenue Seaborough, Ontario M1P 4S1 ISBNO-408-70946-4
24.	The Sow - Improving Her Efficiency	English, Smith & MacLean. 1977. Farming Press Ltd., Wharfedale Road, Ipswich IP1 4LG, U.K.
25.	Swine Feeding and Nutrition	T.J. Cunha. 1977. 352 pp. Academic Press Inc. 111 Fifth Avenue New York, N.Y. 10003
26.	Swine Information Service	National Hog Farmer 1999 Shepard Road, St. Paul Minn. 55116
27.	Swine Production	Carroll, W.L. & J.L. Krider & J.H. Conrad. 1982. Miller Publishing Co. Reader Service P.O. Box 67, Minneapolis, Minn. 55440
28.	Swine Production and Nutrition	1984 W.G. Pond and J.H. Maner AVI Publishing Co., Westport, Connecticut
29.	Swine Production in Temperate and Tropical Environments	1974. W.G. Pond & J.H. Maner, W.H. Freeman & Co., San Francisco ISBN 0-7167-0840-X
30.	Swine Science	M.E. Ensminger. 767 pp. 4th Edition 1970. The Interstate Printers & Publishers Inc. Danville, Illinois
31.	The TV Vet Book for Pig Farmers	Farming Press Ltd., Wharfedale Road Ispwich, Suffolk IP1 4LG, U.K.
32.	The Welfare of Pigs (An EEC Seminar held November 1980 in Brussels	W. Sybesma, Editor. Martinus Nijhoff Publishers Distributor: Kluiver Boston Inc. 190 Old Derby St., Hingham MA 02043 ISBN 90-247-2429-5

B. Magazines

		Address Inquiry/ Subscription to	Frequency of Publication	Subscription Rate/Year
1.	Farm Building Progress	Scottish Farm Buildings Investigation Unit Craibstone, Bucksburn Aberdeen, AB29TR, Scotland	Monthly	$24.60
2.	Hog Farm Management	Hog Farm Management P.O. Box 3011, Wheaton Pl. Minnesota 55440, U.S.A. 60189-9990	Monthly	$28.00
3.	Hog Guide	The Public Press Ltd. 1760 Ellice Avenue Winnipeg, Manitoba R3H 0B6	Bi-Monthly Supplement to Country Guide	$10.00
4.	Hog Market Place Quarterly	Hog Market Place Quarterly 7th Floor, 950 Yonge St. Toronto, Ontario M4W 2J4	Quarterly	$10.00
5.	International Pigletter (Newsletter)	Published by Pig World Inc., Box 662 South St. Paul, MN 55075 U.S.A. (612) 454-5928	Monthly	$54.00
6.	National Hog Farmer	National Hog Farmer 1999 Shepard Road St. Paul, MN, 55116, U.S.A.	Monthly	$25.00 (US)
7.	Pig Farming	Pig Farming Wharfedale Road Ipswich, England IP1 4LG	Monthly	$45.00 (US)
8.	Pigs	Misset International Circulation Department P.O. Box [illegible] 7000 BA Doetinchem, The Netherlands	Bi-monthly	$50.00 (US)
9.	Pork	P.O. Box 2984, Shawnee Mission, Kansas, 66201	Monthly	$25.00 (US)
10.	Western Hog Journal	Western Hog Journal c/o Alberta Pork Producers Marketing Board 10319 Princess Elizabeth Ave., Edmonton, Alberta T5G 0Y5 (403) 474-8288	Quarterly	FREE

C. Breed Journals

		Address Inquiry/ Subscription to	Frequency of Publication	Subscription Rate/Year
1.	American Hampshire Herdsman	Hampshire Swine Registry 6748 N. Frostwood Parkway Peoria, Illinois 61615	Monthly	$7.50
2.	The American Landrace	American Landrace Assn. Inc., 112½ North Main Culver, Indiana 46511, U.S.A.	10 times/ year	$8.00
3.	Berkshire News	American Berkshire Assn. 601 West Monroe Street Springfield, Illinois 62704, U.S.A.	10 times/ year	$5.00
4.	Canadian Swine	Canadian Swine Breeders Association, c/o Karen Sample R.R. #3, Embro, Ontario N0J 1J0 (519) 475-4806	Quarterly	$12.00
5.	Duroc News	The United Duroc Swine Registry 1803 W. Detweiller Drive Peoria, Illinois 61615	Monthly	$5.00
6.	Yorkshire Journal	American Yorkshire Club Inc., Box 2417,year 1769 U.S. 52N West Lafayette, Indiana 47906, U.S.A.	10 times/	$2.00

D. Scientific Journals

		Address Inquiry/ Subscription to	Frequency of Publication	Subscription Rate/Year
1.	Animal Production	Scottish Academic Press 33 Montgomery Street Edinburgh, Scotland EH7 5JX	Bi-Monthly	$145.00 (US)
2.	Canadian Journal of Animal Science	Agricultural Institute of Canada, Suite 907, 151 Slater Street Ottawa, Ontario K1P 5H4	Quarterly	$29.00
3.	Index of Current Research on Pigs	Central Sales Commonwealth Agricultural Bureaux, Farnham Royal, Slough United Kingdom SL2 3BN ISSN 0568-2800	Annual	N/A

4.	Journal of Animal Science	Business Manager American Society of Animal Science 309 West Clark Street Champaign, Illinois 61820, U.S.A.	Monthly	$50.00 (US)
5.	Pig News and Information	Central Sales Commonwealth Agricultural Bureaux, Farnham Royal, Slough, United Kingdom SL2 3BN ISSN 0143-9014	Quarterly	£39
6.	The Pig Veterinary Society Proceedings	Royal Veterinary College Hawkshead House, Hawkshead Lane, North Mymms, Hatfield Hertfordshire AL9 7TA ISSN 0141-3074	Quarterly	N/A

E. Publications

1. **ALBERTA AGRICULTURE** (Available from Print Media Branch, Alberta Agriculture, 7000 - 113 Street, Edmonton, Alberta T6H 5T6)

   - Assistance Available to Alberta Farmers, Agdex #871
   - Swine Project Book. 4-H Branch. Alberta Agriculture, 7000 -113 Street, Edmonton, Alberta

   Alberta Publications Available from Pork Industry Branch, Alberta Agriculture, 7000 - 113 Street, Edmonton, Alberta T6H 5T6

   - Alberta Pork Production Handbook - 76 fact sheets
   - Alberta Swine Improvement Annual Reports - no charge
   - Bi-monthly R.O.P. Swine Improvement Home Test Reports - no charge
   - Test Station Sales Notices - no charge
   - Home Study Course in Pork Production - $30.00 each

2. **Agriculture Canada Publications**

   - Research Highlights, Lacombe Research Station. (Annual) Lacombe, Alberta
   - Livestock Market Review (Annual)
   - Selected Canadian Livestock Export Statistics (Annual)
   - Recommended Code of Practice for Care and Handling of Pigs. Agriculture Canada Publication 1771/E. Communications Branch, Agriculture Canada, Ottawa K1A 0C7
   - Canada Livestock and Meat Trade Report (Weekly)

3. OTHER PUBLICATIONS

	TITLE	AVAILABLE FROM
1.	Alberta Pork Congress Proceedings - Annual	Alberta Pork Congress, c/o Alberta Agriculture 4920 - 51 Street, Red Deer, Alberta T4N 6K8

2.	Alberta Pork Seminar Proceedings - Annual	Department of Extension, University of Alberta, Edmonton
3.	American Pork Congress Proceedings - Annual	National Pork Producers Council, 4715 Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa, U.S.A.
4.	Danish Meat Research Institute. Annual Report	Maglegardswej 2 DK-4000 Roskilde, Denmark
5.	Danish National Committee for Pig Breeding and Production - Annual Report	Axelborg, Axeltow 3 DK-1609 Copenhagen V, Denmark
6.	Farrowing Barn Design and Management	VIDO, 124 Veterinary Road, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan S7N 0W0
7.	Feeders Day Report - Annual	University of Alberta, Department of Animal Science, Edmonton, Alberta
8.	Grain Facts	Livestock Feed Board of Canada, P.O. Box 177 Snowdon Station, Montreal, Quebec H3X 3T4
9.	Guelph Pork Symposium Proceedings	W.S. Young, Ontario Agricultural College University of Guelph, Guelph, Ontario
10.	Livestock and Meat Outlook & Situation - Monthly	Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20402 Annually
11.	Manitoba Hog Day Proceedings	Animal Industry Branch, Agricultural Services Complex, 545 University Crescent, Winnipeg, Manitoba R3T 2N2
12.	Ontario Fact Sheets on Swine Production	Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food, Communications Branch, Queen's Park, Toronto, Ontario M7A 1A5
13.	Pig Management Manual	Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 4041, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia 3001
14.	Pork Industry Handbook	Cooperation Extension Service, Michigan State University - Extension Swine Specialist, 205 Anthony Hall, M.S.U., East Lansing, Michigan 48824
15.	Pork Pro Newsletter (50xyr)	219 Parkade, Cedar Falls, Iowa 50613 $(US) 65/annum
16.	Prairie Swine Centre Saskatoon, Saskatchewan Annual Report	Department of Animal Science, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon S7N 0W0 (306) 373-9922
17.	Ontario Swine Research Review - Annual	Ontario Pork Producers Marketing Board Secretary Box 740, Etobicoke, Ontario M9C 5H3 (416) 621-1874
18.	Salsbury Guide to Hog Health Management	Salsbury Laboratories Inc., Charles City, Iowa 50616

19.	Saskatchewan Swine Symposium Proceedings - Annual	Animal Industry Branch, Saskatchewan Agriculture 3130 - 8th St., E. Saskatoon, Sask. S7H 0W2
20.	Swine Nursery Design	VIDO, 124 Veterinary Road, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan S7N 0W0
21.	V.I.D.O. Research Reports	Veterinary Infectious Diseases Organization University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, Sask. S7N 0W0

F. Information Offices

TITLE	AVAILABLE FROM
1. ALBERTA AGRICULTURE:	
a. Alberta Agriculture district offices - 65 location in Alberta	
b. Regional Swine Specialists	1. Agriculture Centre, Lethbridge Alberta T1J 4C7 Tel. 329-5108 A. George 2. 4920-51 St., Red Deer, Alberta T4N 6K8 Tel. 340-5334 Marvin Salomons 3. Box 330, Vermilion, Alberta T0B 4M0 Tel. 853-2811 Ron Bazylo 4. Box 1540, Barrhead, Alberta T0G 0E0 Tel. 674-8248 Regional Swine Specialists are available through district offices of Alberta Agriculture for consulting on swine production problems, assisting with cash flow analysis, farm visits where required and organizing and resourcing information meetings on swine matters.
c. Regional Livestock Specialists Regional Agricultural Engineers Regional Farm Economists	Lethbridge - 381-5151 Airdrie - 948-5101 Red Deer - 340-5111 Vermilion - 853-2811 Barrhead - 674-3351
d. Pork Industry Branch	Edmonton - 427-5320 F. Schuld
e. Swine Improvement (ROP)	Edmonton - 427-5319 A. Lange
f. Swine Breeding Centre A.I.	Leduc - 986-1250 S. Harbison P. Seth
g. Swine Nutritionists	Edmonton - Soil & Feed Testing Lab. 436-9150 S. Jaikaran
h. Swine Herd Health Veterinarian	Edmonton - O.S. Longman Building 436-9341 Dr. M. W. Stone
i. Reproductive Physiologist	Edmonton - 427-5302 Dr. L. Rutter
j. Livestock Pest Control Specialist	Edmonton - 427-9051 Dr. A. Khan
k. International Marketing	Edmonton - 427-4241

1. Publications Office	Edmonton - 427-0391

2. Research Centres

a. Lacombe Research Station Lacombe	782-3316 Dr. A. Sather
b. Prairie Swine Centre, Saskatoon	(306) 343-2666 Dr. P. Thacker
c. University of Alberta Animal Science Department Edmonton	432-2118 Dr. F. Aherne 432-3235 Dr. W. Sauer

3. Regional Colleges

a. Fairview College Box 3000 Fairview, Alberta T0H 1L0	835-2213
b. Lakeland College Vermilion, Alberta T0B 4M0	853-2971
c. Olds College Olds, Alberta T0M 1P0	556-8367

4. Swine Organizations

a. Alberta Pork Producers Marketing Board,	Edmonton 474-8288 Toll-free Hog Line 1-800-222-6509 In Edmonton - 474-8938
b. Alberta Swine Breeders Association,	Rosalind 375-3779 L. Boulter, Secretary
c. Canadian Landrace Breeders Association.	Secretary A.G. Smith, 290 Somervale Gardens, Unit 4, Pte. Claire, Quebec N9R 3H8 (514) 694-4650
d. Canadian Lacombe Breeders Association.	Secretary G. Croome 2320 - 41 Avenue, N.E., Calgary, Alberta T2E 6W8
e. Canadian Swine Breeders Association,	R.R. 1, New Dundee, Ontario N0B 2E0 Secretary (519) 696-2535
f. Southern Alberta Hog Producers Association,	Secretary Hans Van'tLand, Box 608, Coalhurst T0L 0V0 (381-4566)
g. Western Hog Growers Association,	c/o D. Gregorwich, Kelsey, Alberta. Telephone: 373-2053

5. OTHERS

a. AGRICULTURE CANADA Food Production and Inspection Branch 9820 -107 Street Edmonton, Alberta T5K 1G2	Regional Director, 420-2800 B. Glanfield, Grades Standards Officer
b. AGRICULTURE CANADA Agriculture Development Branch 4th Floor, Cornerpoint Building 10179 -105 Street Edmonton, Alberta T5J 1E2	Regional Director 420-2800 M. Southwood, Livestock Program Officer

c. SWINE R.O.P. TEST STATION
R.R. #2, Leduc, Alberta
T9E 2X2 Station Manager 986-5055

d. SWINE R.O.P. TEST STATION
Box 86, Lacombe, Alberta T0C 1S0 Station Manager 782-6360

e. REGIONAL VETERINARY DIRECTOR
Animal Health Division
Agriculture Canada
Government of Canada Building
Room 750, 220 -4 Avenue, S.W.
Postal Station M. Bag 2998
Calgary, Alberta T2P 3C3 231-4301

f. DISTRICT VETERINARIAN
Animal Health Division
Agriculture Canada
Room 8 - 178
9820 -107 Street
Edmonton, Alberta T5K 1G2 420-2800

G. Regular Swine Industry Events

1. ALBERTA

a. Alberta Pork Congress - held annually Tuesday-Thursday, second full week in June at the Westerner in Red Deer. Contact: Manager, C. Voros, Box 5002, Red Deer, Alberta T4N 5Y5. Tel: 340-5307

b. Alberta Pork Seminar -held annually third or fourth week in January in Banff, Alberta. Contact: Department of Animal Science,
University of Alberta, tel: 432-2118 or Faculty of Extension,
University of Alberta, tel: 432-2406

c. Calgary Stampede International Stock Show - July during the Calgary Stampede at the Calgary Stampede Grounds. Contact Keith Marrington, Agricultural Manager. Tel: 261-0164.
Calgary Exhibition Association, Box 1060, Calgary T2P 2K8

d. Canadian Feed Industry Association (Alberta Division) Annual Conference
- Edmonton or Calgary -held each year in September. Contact: Dr. W. Anderson, Secretary.
Tel: 482-2030, #204, 10441 -124 St, Edmonton T5N 1R7.

e. Canadian Meat Council. Annual Meeting -early February, annually in various locations.
Contact the Calgary office at 265-2220.

f. Edmonton Farm Fair - first week in November at Edmonton Northlands.
Contact Leroy Emerson, Edmonton Northands, P.O. Box 1480, Edmonton T5J 2N5. Tel: 471-7210

g. Edmonton Spring Show - last full week of March each year at Edmonton Northlands.
Contact Leroy Emerson, Edmonton Northlands, P.O. Box 1480, Edmonton T5J 2N5. Tel: 471-7210

h. Lethbridge Rocky Mountain Show - late October

i. Taking Stock - Market Prospects for Cattle - Hogs (Annual) March in Edmonton, Red Deer, Calgary or Lethbridge. Market Analysis Branch, Alberta Agriculture, tel. 427-7132, Edmonton.

2. OTHER PROVINCES

a. Canadian Western Agribition - Last week in November in Regina.
Contact Box 3535, Regina, Saskatchewan, tel. (306) 565-0565 or
Saskatchewan Swine Breeders Association at (306) 757-8523.

b. Guelph Pork Symposium - at University of Guelph, Guelph, Ontario. April each year. c/o W. S. Young, Ontario Agricultural College, University of Guelph, tel. (519) 824-4120.

c. Manitoba Hog Days - held in Winnipeg - December at Convention Centre. To alternate between Winnipeg and Brandon. Contact: Manitoba Agriculture Agriculture Services Complex, 545 University Crescent, Winnipeg R3T 2N2 Tel: (204) 945-7680.

d. Manitoba Pork Seminar - Mid-February in Brandon. Contact: Manitoba Agriculture, Agriculture Services Complex, 545 University Crescent, Winnipeg R3T 2N2. Tel: (204) 945-7680.

e. Ontario Pork Congress - held in third full week of June in Stratford, Ontario Contact Jean Smelski, Secretary, Box 61, Stratford, Ontario N5A 6S8

f. Saskatchewan Swine Symposium - first week in November. Contact Saskatchewan Agriculture, 502 -45th Street, West Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, S7H 0W2, tel. (306) 933-5096.

3. International

a. American Pork Congress - Second week in March annually. Held in rotation in Indianapolis, Des Moines, Kansas City, St. Louis, Contact: National Pork Producers Council, Box 10383, Des Moines, Iowa 50306

b. National Barrow Show - mid-September in Austin, Minnesota at the Fairgrounds. Contact John Phillips, Geo. A. Hormel & Co., Austin, Minn. 55912

c. National Pig Fair -National Agricultural Centre, Stoneleigh, England. Usually heid late April. Contact Pig Farming, Wharfedale Road, Ipswick IP1 4LG

d. Salsbury Swine Short Course, Salsbury Laboratories Inc., Charles City, Iowa 50616, tel. (515) 257-3433

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